

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
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A Bill

Act 694 of 2003
HOUSE BILL 2007

5 By: Representative Hickinbotham
6 By: Senator Womack
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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT
11 OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING
12 OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE
13 DEPARTMENTS IN BAXTER COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER
14 PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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18 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
19 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER
20 - STATE SUPPORT FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE
21 DEPARTMENTS IN BAXTER COUNTY GENERAL
22 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.
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25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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27 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - STATE SUPPORT FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS
28 IN BAXTER COUNTY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance
29 and Administration - Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General
30 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

31 (A) For state support for the Clark Ridge Volunteer Fire Department, the
32 sum of\$10,000.

33 (B) For state support for the Gamaliel Volunteer Fire Department, the sum
34 of\$10,000.

35 (C) For state support for the Henderson Volunteer Fire Department, the sum
36 of\$10,000.



1 (D) For state support for the North East Lakeside Volunteer Fire
2 Department, the sum of\$10,000.

3 (E) For state support for the Handcove Volunteer Fire Department, the sum
4 of\$10,000.

5 (F) For state support for the Rodney Volunteer Fire Department, the sum of
6\$10,000.

7 (G) For state support for the Norfolk Volunteer Fire Department, the sum
8 of\$10,000.

9 (H) For state support for the Salesville Volunteer Fire Department, the
10 sum of\$10,000.

11 (I) For state support for the Tracy Volunteer Fire Department, the sum of
12\$10,000.

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14 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
15 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
16 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
17 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
18 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
19 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
20 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
21 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
22 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
23 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
24 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
25 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

26 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
27 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
28 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of
29 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
30 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
31 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided
32 otherwise by law.

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34 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
35 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
36 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act

1 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
2 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
3 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
4 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
5 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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7 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
8 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
9 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
10 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of
11 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
12 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
13 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the
14 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
15 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
16 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
17 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.

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20 APPROVED: 3/26/2003
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